

"If you were president . . ."

Lyman B. Kirkpatrick, professor of political science at Brown and former head of the Central Intelligence Agency, will be seen in many parts of the nation in a new 13-week public television series "If You Were President . . ."

The new series follows "Opinion and Conflict," a highly successful program produced through the University last season.

"If You Were President" will center on the new administration with weekly examinations of the probable ways in which President Richard Nixon will meet the crucial problems facing the nation. Professor Kirkpatrick will be assisted by an examiner who will question two witnesses, one for and one against a particular issue.

Among the vital areas covered by the program are such questions as: "Would you use tax credits to spur ghetto industry?" "Would you increase defense spend-

ing?" "Would you keep the surtax?" "Would you pursue a two-China policy at Warsaw?"

Guests for the series are such experts as Adam Yarmolinsky, former deputy assistant to the Secretary of Defense; former Ambassador Edwin O. Reischauer; Paul Samuelson, professor of economics at M.I.T. and author of a widely used text-



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book in his field; William Kintner, deputy director of the Foreign Policy Research Institute at the University of Pennsylvania, and others.

The series is produced by WGBH-TV, Boston, in cooperation with Brown and will receive extended coverage live, and in color, on the Eastern Education Network along with videotape distribution for delayed broadcast. It is probable that most of the 29 public television stations in the northeast from Maine to Washington, D. C. will pick up the show along with Los Angeles, San Francisco, and Chicago. Definite confirmations are from Boston, Providence, Washington, D. C., and Pennsylvania stations at Pittsburgh, Bethlehem, Hershey, University Park, Scranton, and Philadelphia. Definite information on air times can be obtained through local listings.

The last 10 programs will be directed by Gerald Sadlier, television officer for Brown, and Howard S. Curtis, secretary of the University, serves as general adviser. Professor Kirkpatrick became University professor of political science in 1965 after serving the CIA as executive director-controller. He has written widely, including the 1968 book *The Real CIA* and a recently completed volume *Captains Without Eyes* to be published this year.

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